

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – RWS&S Dept. – Allegations of misappropriation of world bank funds – MVS to Manthani & Ramagundam in Peddapalli District – Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherla - Disciplinary proceedings under Rule 20 of Telangana Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of charges – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 63

Dated: 12-02-2019

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherla, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Telangana Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II&III).

3. Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherla, is directed to submit within ten (10) days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.

4. Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherla, is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of article of those charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherla, is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the Period specified in Para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Telangana Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 or the orders / directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

6. Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherla, is invited to Rule 24 of the Telangana Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherla, is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Telangana Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged.

SMITA SABHARWAL
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (RWS) (FAC)

To
Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU &
SE, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE,

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RWS&S Circle, Mancherial through the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad
The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.

(in duplicate with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledgement copy)

Copy to:

The Secretary to VC, TVC, Hyderabad
SF/SC

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ANNEXURE –I

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 63 , PR&RD (Vig.I) Dept., dt.12.02.2019)

STATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI T.S.PRAKASH RAO, THE THEN PROJECT MANAGER, DPSU & SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, RWS&S CIRCLE, KARIMNAGAR, PRESENTLY WORKING AS I/C SE, RWS&S CIRCLE, MANCHERIAL

CHARGE:-

That Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager & Superintending Engineer RWS&S Circle Karimnagar, presently working as I/c Superintending Engineer RWS&S Circle Mancherial has uploaded final bill in BMS for the works "MVS to Manthani & MVS to Ramagundam" of Rs.65.07 lakhs & Rs.83.86 lakhs respectively without obtaining work QC certificate from Executive Engineer, V&QC, RWS&S concerned and without approval of completion report from Project Director. Thus he failed to discharge his legitimate duties.

BASIS:-

As per the Project Director (PSU) report No.MT2/PSU/TSRWSSP/MVS Manthani & Ramagundam/2017, Dated: 13.12.2017 of the Project Director (PSU) TSRWSSP Hyderabad, Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager & Superintending Engineer RWS&S Circle Karimnagar, presently working as I/c Superintending Engineer RWS&S Circle Mancherial.

- 1) Has uploaded final bill in BMS for the works "MVS to Manthani & MVS to Ramagundam" of Rs.65.07 lakhs & Rs.83.86 lakhs respectively without obtaining work QC certificate from Executive Engineer, V&QC, RWSS concerned and without approval of completion report from Project Director.
- 2) Failed to commission the Scheme "MVS to Manthani & MVS to Ramagundam" and also failed to obtain approval of completion reports from concerned authority on or before July-2017.
- 3) Has not followed the instructions of Higher Authority given time to time regarding testing and commissioning of the schemes "MVS to Manthani & MVS to Ramagundam".

Due to which expenditure incurred so far on the schemes are treated as unfruitful i.e., Rs.762.44 lakhs & Rs.418.5 lakhs for the Schemes MVS to Manthani & MVS to Ramagundam respectively.

From this it is evident that Sri T.S.Prakash Rao, the then Project Manager, DPSU & SE, RWS&S Circle, Karimnagar, presently working as I/c SE, RWS&S Circle, Mancherial has shown Gross Negligence towards his legitimate duties, violating Rule (3) of Telangana Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Hence the charge.

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ANNEXURE –II

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No.63 , PR&RD (Vig.I) Dept., dt.12.02.2019)

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI T.S.PRAKASH RAO, THE THEN PROJECT MANAGER, DPSU & SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, RWS&S CIRCLE, KARIMNAGAR, PRESENTLY WORKING AS I/C SE, RWS&S CIRCLE, MANCHERIAL

Lr.No.MT2/PSU/TSRWSSP/MVS Manthani & Ramagundam/2017, Dt: 13.12.2017 of the Project Director (PSU) TSRWSSP Hyderabad.

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ANNEXURE –III

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LIST OF WITNESSESS BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI T.S.PRAKASH RAO, THE THEN PROJECT MANAGER, DPSU & SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, RWS&S CIRCLE, KARIMNAGAR, PRESENTLY WORKING AS I/C SE, RWS&S CIRCLE, MANCHERIAL

-Nil-

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